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73 74	1893. 4th Feb.	..	Nos. 624–25 of 1892. No. 60 of 1893.	99	*Laccadive Islands.*—
77	6th ,,	..	No. 4 of 1893.	129	*Mr. F. J. Jacob.*—Communicating to the Resident in Travancore letter from the Government of India sanctioning the employment by the Travancore State of — as an Assistant Engineer.
93	18th ,,	..	No. 7 of 1893 (Pub.) No. 91 of (1893 Pub.)	55 59 202 206	*Medical officer for the Nayar Brigade.*—Informing the Secretary of State by telegram that a — has been appointed by the Travancore Government on condition that nobody has been selected by him, and requesting to telegraph what has been done.
95	20th ,,	..	No. 710 of 1892.	136	*Periyar.*— Accepting the amounts settled by the Travancore Government as compensation for the determination of existing contracts for the sale of liquors in the — camps; directing that they be debited to the cost of the works and that the Resident be requested to ascertain and report regarding the charge after the expiry of the present leases.
97	20th ,,	..	..	104 148	*Gosha Fund.*—Sanctioning, with remarks, a grant to the — equal to a moiety of the sum raised by local subscriptions subject to a maximum of Rs. 50 per mensem from 1st October 1892.

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102	1893. 22nd Feb.	..	No. 381 of 1890. No. 561 of 1890. No. 28 R. of 1893.	210 (Finl.)	*Assistant Resident in Travancore and Cochin.*—Directing that all extra charges connected with the deputation of the — with the Raja of Cochin on tour, including his pay for the period of absence, be borne by the Cochin State.
104 105	23rd "	..	Nos. 526–27 of 1892.	1469 of 1892. 185 189 190	*Pudukota.*—Minority of the Raja of —.
107 108	24th "	1893. 28th Feb. No. 3.	..	1537 of 1892. 11 47 89 90 91 92 147	*Officers lent to Native States.*—Directing that the Secretary of State be addressed in connection with the returns of — for the quarter ending 31st December 1892, and that copy of the despatch be forwarded to the Government of India.
110	24th "	..	No. 480 of 1890. No. 481 of 1890.	159	*Native Chiefs.*—Communicating to Political Officers, for information and guidance, letter from the Government of India issuing instructions in connection with official reception of — at Railway stations.
114	28th "	..	No. 765 of 1892.	199	*Tanjore pensioners.* — Sanctioning the payment of a bonus of Rs. 733 to Dadaji Rao and directing that Mallaji Rao *alias* Hanumanta Rao be allowed to draw a pension of Rs. 10 per mensem.
		28th Feb. No. 2.	No. 112 of 1893.	..	*Surgeon to the Nayar Brigade.*—Requesting the Secretary of State to direct the officer selected for the post of — in the Travancore State to report himself on arrival in India to the Surgeon-General with this Government as it is intended to attach him for a short time to the General Hospital at Madras before he proceeds to Travancore.

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67	1893. 1st Feb.	..	No. 454 of 1892.	108	*Lieutenant B. Scott, Nayar Brigade.*—Transferring to the Resident in Travancore, for necessary action, endorsement of the Military department referring letter from the Government of India regarding the nomination of — to do duty with Military Accounts department, and requesting that if his services can be made available, he may be informed to place himself in communication with the Controller, Military Accounts, Madras Circle, for being examined, and that if he should pass the prescribed test, his services may be placed at the disposal of the Government of India; and requesting that in case he passes the test, the services of an officer to take his place in the Nayar Brigade may be placed at the disposal of the Political department.
68	1st "	..	No. 231 of 1874. No. 309 of 1874. No. 277 of 1884.	73	*Ahmad Ali Khan.* — Rejecting, under Rule 2 of the petition rules, petition from — praying that the undistributed portion of Rs. 7 of his father's stipend may be granted to him.
69 70	3rd "	..	No. 719 of 1875. No. 817 of 1875. No. 323 of 1892.	100	*Appointments, the holders of which are entitled to wear the Political uniforms.*—Directing that a letter be despatched to the Government of India stating that no alterations are considered necessary in the revised list of — in as far as it affects this Presidency.

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71	1893. 3rd Feb.	..	..	42	*Petition from certain inhabitants of the Travancore State.*—Transferring to the Resident in Travancore —complaining against the Diwan Sankara Subbayyan.
72	4th „	..	No. 216 of 1886. No. 572 of 1889. No. 267 of 1892. No. 592 of 1892.	1522 of 1892.	*List of Title-holders.* — Directing that the Government Agent, Tanjore, be informed that it is not proposed to include, for reasons stated, the Tanjore Ranis in the —, but that there is no objection to their inclusion in a supplement to that list.
75	4th „	..	No. 702 of 1892. No. 53 of 1893.	144	*Consul for Belgium.* — Recording letter from the Government of India stating that the recognition of Mr. W. S. Shaw's appointment as — at Madras has been announced in the Gazette of India.
76	6th „	..	Nos. 1150 of 1887 (Rev.) No. 119 of 1890. No. 2029 of 1892 (Judl.)	120 154	*Production of certain documents in Court.* — Informing the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, that there is no provision under which the — can be refused.
78	7th „	..	Nos. 654 of 1891. No. 571-A of 1892.	137	*Boundary between His Highness the Nizam's Territory and the Bhadráchalam and Rékapalle taluks, Godávari district.* — Addressing the Resident in Hyderabad on the question of the early settlement of the —.
79	10th „	..	..	162	*S. Venkatachalam Pillai.*—Rejecting petition from — praying that the Travancore Government may be directed to give him a peon's post.
80	10th „	..	..	..	*Maharaja of Travancore.*—Recording papers regarding Police guards and guards of honour for His Highness the —.
81	10th „	..	No. 512 of 1889. No. 136 of R. 1893, (Pub.)	123	*Medical officer to His Highness the Raja of Cochin.* — Sanctioning the appointment of Doctor R. Pemberton, Civil Surgeon, Cochin, as —, subject to certain condition.
82	11th „	..	No. 592 of 1892. No. 757 of 1892. No. 16 of 1893.	54 59 74	*List of Titles and Title-holders.*—Recording Proceedings of the Board of Revenue and letter from Collector of Tanjore regarding corrections in the —.

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83	1893. 11th Feb.	..	No. 639 of 1892. Nos. 699–700 of 1892.	52	*Nawab of Banganapalle.*—Informing the Resident, Hyderabad, by telegram, when the — arrives in Hyderabad, and requesting to make such arrangements as he considers fit.
84	13th „	..	No. 66 of 1892.	135	*Titles.* — Directing delivery of sanads conferring — on certain gentlemen by the officers concerned, and requesting certain information with regard to some of them.
85	13th „	..	No. 256 of 1891. No. 339 of 1891. No. 677 of 1892.	165	*Ghausiah Begam.*—Referring — to G.O., dated 25th November 1892, No. 677, with reference to her petition requesting the continuance to her of the stipend of the late Hayat-un-nisa Begam, and informing her that no further petitions will be noticed.
86	14th „	..	Nos. 213–14 of 1892. No. 597 of 1892.	130	*M.R.Ry. Vijaya Sadanandaya Sahib.*— Directing that — be informed that the orders of the Secretary of State declining to admit the claim to the late Raja's private property are as stated by the sirkele, and declining to furnish a copy of the despatch.
87	14th „	..	No. 359 of 1885.	114	*Carnatic Stipendiaries.* — Sanctioning the Paymaster's proposals to grant compassionate allowance to Saran Bi and Muhi-ud-din Bi, widows of —, and to be paid in lump sums.
88 89	16th „	..	Nos. 88–89 of 1892.	196	*Kandyan Pensioner.* — Directing that the death of Madura Pulian be reported to the Ceylon Government.
90	16th „	..	Nos. 28–30 1893. No. 51 of 1893.	180	*His Imperial Highness the Archduke Franz Ferdinand of Austria.* —Recording Proceedings of the Military department communicating letter from the Government of India regarding the arrangements for the reception of —.

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91	1893. 18th Feb.	..	No. 217 of 1880. No. 32 of 1885. No. 541 of 1885.	8 184	*Saida Begam.* — Rejecting, under petition rule 5, petition from — praying that a pension may be given her from the stipend of her aunt, the late Shahzade Begam.
92	18th „	..	No. 265 of 1863. No. 359 of 1885.	176	*Carnatic Stipendiary.*— Sanctioning the grant of Rs. 5 to Kacha Ammal, widow of the late — Davoo Raja, to be paid in a lum sum.
94	18th „	..	Nos. 720-21 of 1892. No. 758 of 1892.	167	*Bijan Bi.*—Requesting the Resident in Mysore to make further enquiries with reference to enclosed copy of communication received from Saiyed Takh-ud-din, which suggests that there is some misapprehension regarding — referred to in correspondence ending with the Resident's letter, dated 30th ultimo, No 325—547—87.
96	20th „	..	Nos. 644–45 of 1892. No. 712 of 1892.	200	*Italian Consular Agent.*—Informing the Government of India by telegram that there is no objection to the appointment of Mr. D. E. W. Leighton as —, Madras, and directing that he be recognised as such.
98	20th „	..	No. 671 of 1892.	395, Pub. 188, Pol.	*Petition.* — Rejecting under C. petition rule 2 — from Makamanakkil Damodran Kuttan Nampudripad of Udayamperur, hamlet in Menakkunnam Pravarte, Vykkam taluk, Travancore, praying that the order issued for the construction of a watercourse may be suspended pending full enquiry.
99	21st „	..	No. 51 of 1893.	187	*His Imperial and Royal Highness the Archduke Franz Ferdinand of Austria Este.*—Recording proceedings, Military department, communicating letter from the Government of India regarding the appointment of Captain W. E. Fairholme, R.A., on special duty with — during his visit to India.

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100	1893. 21st Feb.	..	Nos. 770–71 of 1892.	115	*Maharaja of Vizianagrum.*— Communicating to the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam, with instructions letter from the Government of India requesting that the acknowledgments of that Government be conveyed to the — for his offer to place the resources of his estate at the disposal of the British Government in the event of war.
101	22nd „	..	..	204	*Petition.* — Rejecting, under C. petition rule 2 —, from Cappamoottil Ittyavira Varkki and other persons in Alleppy praying that orders may be issued that they be paid an adequate compensation for their lands taken up for a public road.
103	22nd „	..	No. 240 of 1891. No. 555 of 1891. No. 697 of 1892.	229	*Tinnevelly-Quilon Railway.* — Requesting the Resident by telegram to ascertain and telegraph the views of the Travancore Darbar on the suggestion of the promoters of the — that for payment of guaranteed interest in sterling by that State a minimum rate of exchange of one shilling two pence per rupee should be fixed.
106	23rd „	..	Nos. 54–55 of 1893. No. 31 R. of 1893.	233	*Raja of Cochin.*—Directing that a telegram be despatched to certain Governments intimating certain change in the programme of tour of the —.
109	24th „	..	No. 533 of 1890. No. 690 of 1891. ..	105	*Warrant of Precedence and Educational Officers.*—Recording, pending receipt of final orders, regarding the grading of Educational officers, proceedings, Educational department, referring, for necessary action, the suggestion of the Director regarding the position of certain Educational officers in the warrant of precedence.
111	27th „	..	No. 75 of 1893.	198	*British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal.* — Informing His Excellency the Governor of the French Settlements in India that Lieutenant-General H. McLeod, —, has been granted privilege leave for three months from 13th April next, and that Captain A. H. Kellie, I.S.C., has been appointed to act during his absence.

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112	1893. 27th Feb.	..	No. 7 of 1893 (Pub.)	172	*Surgeon to the Nayar Brigade.*—Communicating to the Resident in Travancore proceedings, Public department, regarding the officer selected for the post of — being attached to the General Hospital, Madras, for training before he proceeds to Travancore, and directing that the Secretary of State be requested to direct the officer to report himself to the Surgeon-General with this Government on his arrival.
113	27th „	..	No. 237 of 1881.	243	*Muhammad Alim-Ullah Sahib.*—Declining to comply with request of —, Superintendent of the Wallaja and Anvari mosques, for copy of G.O., No 237, dated 27th April 1881.
115	28th „	..	..	228	*Water-supply Schemes.* — Forwarding to the Resident in Mysore papers relating to the — of Vellore, Tanjore, Madura and Trichinopoly.
116	28th „	..	No. 603 of 1892.	186	*Rafi-ul-mulk, son of Muhammad Daud Khan Bahadur.* Communicating to the Collector of Kurnool letter from the Resident in Hyderabad forwarding reports on the progress made by — in the Nizam's College at Hyderabad from 15th September to 15th November 1892, and presuming that Government will be informed if Rafi-ul-mulk intends continuing his studies at the College.
117	28th „	..	No. 322 of 1888. No. 758 of 1888. No. 374 of 1892.	210	*Muhammad Khalil-Ullah Sahib.*—Seeing no reason for granting copies of the papers asked for by — through his vakil C. E. Srinivasa Raghava Charriar.
118	28th „	..	No. 87 of 1859. No. 573 of 1890. No. 645 of 1890. No. 50 of 1892.	195	*Habib-un-nisa and Qadir-un-nisa Begams.*—Directing that — be informed that Government sees no reason to reconsider the decision in G O., No. 87 of 1859, declining to continue part of the house-rent granted to the late Kulsum Begum to her children
119	28th „	..	No. 640 of 1890. No. 67 of 1891. No. 98 of 1892.	183	*Ghulam Mohsin Ali Afzal.*—Directing that — be informed that his case has been considered, but that the Government cannot modify the orders passed in 1873.

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29	1st Feb.	..	No. 650 of 1892.	..	*Lieutenant-Colonel D. McN. Campbell, R.E.* — Enquiring of the Resident, Mysore, what action the Durbar has taken with respect to the promotion of — and that if his salary has been increased during the quarter ended 31st December 1892, the information may be filled in the form sent.
30	2nd „	..	..	..	*Government Order.* — Forwarding to the Under Secretary of State two copies of —, Nos. 37–38 of 17th January 1893.
31	6th „	..	Nos. 54–55 of 1893.	160	*Raja of Cochin.*—Informing the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, by telegram, that the — halts at Merganj on the 8th instant and does not visit Jubbulpore.
32	8th „	..	..	157	*Telegraph Office at Thuckalary.*—Communicating to the Resident in Travancore proceedings, Public Works department, directing that the Government of India be addressed regarding the opening of a — in Travancore.
33	8th „	..	Nos. 708–9 of 1892. No. 61 of 1893.	155	*Administration Report, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch of this Presidency, for* 1891–92. Recording, with reference to G.O., dated 26th January 1893, No. 61, memorandum from the Public Works department forwarding a copy of the — to the Resident, Hyderabad.

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35	14th "	..	No. 394 of 1888.	166	*Carnatic Stipendiaries.*—Recording report of deaths of — during January 1893.
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38	17th "	..	No. 19 of 1893. R. N. 36 of 1893.	205	*Boundary between the Mysore State and the Nilgiris-Wynaad.*—Informing the Resident in Mysore by telegram that the spare copies of G.O., No. 1230, dated 8th December 1892, Revenue, were posted this day.
39	24th "	..	R. N. 154 of 1892.	221	*Cochin.*—Stating that the Government is glad to receive the announcement of a birth in the family of the Raja of —.
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Read—the following papers:—

Telegram from the Chief Secretary to Government, Madras, to the Resident in Travancore and Cochin, dated 16th February 1893.

81. What does Travancore intend to do about Medical Officer for Nayar Brigade? If recruitment at home not wanted for Travancore or Cochin, Secretary of State must be informed at once.

Telegram from the Resident in Travancore and Cochin, Ernacolum, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Madras, dated 16th February 1893.

Travancore has made definite offer appointment Ansted through me subject approval Government and conditionally on appointment not already filled by Secretary State. I await his reply. Will wire on receipt.

Telegram from the Resident in Travancore and Cochin, Ernacolum, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Madras, dated 17th February 1893.

Ansted wires accepting. Please wire Secretary of State not select pending further instructions. Cochin may seek assistance Government choosing Medical Officer from England. Am waiting letter from Cochin Diwan.

Order—dated 18th February 1893, No. 93, Political.

The following telegram will be despatched to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Our Political despatch, No. 1, dated 10th January last. Officer has been appointed by Travancore on condition that nobody has been selected by you. Please telegraph what has been done.

(True Extract.)

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Ag. Chief Secretary.

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Medical Officer for the Nayar Brigade.

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POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Read again—

G.O., dated 6th December 1892, No. 710, Political.

Abstract.—Directing the Resident in Travancore to ascertain whether the Travancore Durbar is willing to lease to the Madras Government the exclusive right of the sale of liquors in the Periyar camps and a radius of three miles around them, and, if so, for what sum.

Read—also the following paper:—

From H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M.A., C.I.E., Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, dated 30th January 1893, No. 63.

With reference to G.O., dated 6th December 1892, No. 710, Political, I have the honour to forward, for the orders of Government, copy of a letter just received from the Diwan.

2. In view of the early transfer of the lease to the British Government, I have thought it well to defer addressing the Diwan regarding the point raised in G.O., dated 19th December 1892, No. 748, but I have ascertained that in the Trivandrum Club and the Mess of the XVII. Regiment of the Madras Infantry stationed at Quilon no license has ever been taken out to sell liquor.

Enclosure.

From M.R.Ry. SHUNGARA SOOBYER, Diwan of Travancore, to H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M.A., C.I.E., British Resident in Travancore and Cochin, dated Camp, Erode, 29th January 1893.

From	Resident	to	Diwan,	dated	31st October 1892.
To	,,	from	,,	,,	3rd November ,,
From	,,	to	,,	,,	16th Decr. ,,
To	,,	from	,,	,,	17th ,, ,,

I am now in a position to address you regarding the compensation to be paid for the Periyar liquor farms referred to in the correspondence noted in the margin.

As observed in my letter of the 3rd November last there are two sets of liquor-shops for which compensation has to be settled—the first dealing in country arrack and toddy and the second in European liquors. The first is by far the more important as realising a large revenue. I will therefore take it up before the other. The abkári farm of the whole of the Meenachel taluk was sold in the beginning of 1067 to one Nallasiven Pillay and the lease extends to the 14th August 1894 (32nd Audi 1069). It thus runs for 18 months more. Nallasiven Pillay has sublet his contract to a number of persons, of whom one Savarimuthu Pillay holds the sub-lease for a tract which includes the Periyar camps and the country within a radius of 3 miles of the camps. He has only one shop within this area, viz., at Mulla Periyar. From an examination of his accounts and statements made by him, it appears that he realises a profit of Rs. 1,500 a-month from this shop exclusive of the cost price of the liquor sold, which is put down at Rs. 500 a-month. From this profit of Rs. 1,500 a-month, we have to deduct charges of transit Rs. 20 and cost of establishment Rs. 10 or Rs. 30 for both items, leaving a net profit of Rs. 1,470 or Rs. 26,460 for the unexpired 18 months of the lease. A proportionate share of this amount goes, of course, to the

principal contractor. Both contractors were before me, and they have agreed in writing to surrender their rights for a lump sum of Rs. 15,000, which appears to be fair. If the Rs. 15,000 be paid to this Government by the British Government, I will issue a lease to the Superintendent of the Periyar Works to continue to the end of Audi 1069 (14th August 1894). For this period no other payment either to the Travancore Government or any contractor shall be claimable from the British Government. The principal and sub contractors have also agreed in writing to the Sirkar adjusting the accounts between them out of the Rs. 15,000 and to the sub-contractor drawing only the balance left after making provision for the payments due to the principal contractor during the next year and-a-half.

As regards the license for European liquors, it applies likewise to only one shop within the tract. The term is for a year, of which six months have now fully expired. The profits realised by the licensee for the past 31 months under the present and previous licenses are stated to be Rs. 5,978-6-0, giving an average of Rs. 192 per month omitting fractions. For the unexpired portion of 6 months the compensation calculated at this rate amounts to Rs. 1,152.

If by the time the new leases are issued another month expires calculating from the 1st Tye current, a proportionate deduction will be made from the amount* of compensation above entered in respect of both leases.

* On account of country liquor Rs. 15,000.
On account of European liquor Rs. 1,152.

Order—dated 20th February 1893, No. 95, Political.

The amounts settled by the Travancore Government as compensation for the determination of existing contracts for the sale of liquors in the Periyar camps will be accepted.

2. In view of the fact that the present arrangements have been effected at the request of the Chief Engineer and for the sole purpose of controlling the efficiency of the workmen in the camps, the amounts will be debited to the cost of the works, such sums as may be realized by sub-leases being credited to the same head.

3. Such further action as is necessary will now be taken in the Public Works Department.

4. The Resident in Travancore will be requested to ascertain and report the amount which the Travancore Government will continue to charge per annum after the expiry of the periods for which the present leases were granted, as well as the amounts which the previous contractor and sub-contractor paid for their leases.

(True Extract.)

C. A. GALTON,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department (with copy of Sir H. Stokes' note).
,, Resident in Travancore.

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Periyar.

Accepting the amounts settled by the Travancore Government as compensation for the determination of existing contracts for the sale of liquors in the — camps; directing that they be debited to the cost of the works, and that the Resident be requested to ascertain and report regarding the charge after the expiry of the present leases.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following papers:—

From Colonel H. S. STEWART, Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Chepak, 24th January 1893, No. 30.

With reference to your letter, dated 16th December 1892, intimating that the Government were prepared to give a contribution up to the maximum of Rs. 50 per mensem to the Gosha Fund provided that its administration lies with the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, I have the honour to state that it will be seen by the enclosed letter (favour of return requested) that the parties concerned are willing to accept the conditions mentioned. I have therefore the honour to submit this application for the grant offered by Government, with effect from 1st October 1892—the date from which the subscriptions were collected.

2. I have also the honour to state that a copy of the rules of the Association (now in the Press) will be forwarded for the information of Government in due course.

From the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, dated 2nd February 1893, No. 50.

Abstract.—Forwarding a copy of the rules of the "Muhammadan Gosha Women's Aid Society."

Order—dated 20th February 1893, No. 97, Political.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction a grant to the Gosha Fund equal to a moiety of the sum raised by local subscriptions and subject to a maximum of Rs. 50 per mensem, with effect from the 1st October 1892.

2. The grant will be debited to 32, Miscellaneous—Donations for charitable purposes.

3. The continuance of the contribution will depend on the administration of the Fund being kept in the hands of the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends.

4. The Secretary will be requested to furnish Government with a copy of the annual report on the working of the Fund.

(True Extract).

C. A. GALTON,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

To the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends.
„ Accountant-General.

Govt. of {1893} Madras.

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G.O., 20th February 1893, No. 97.

FEBRUARY.

Gosha Fund.

Sanctioning, with remarks, a grant to the — equal to a moiety of the sum raised by local subscriptions subject to a maximum of Rs. 50 per mensem from 1st October 1892.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following paper :—

From H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M.A., C.I.E., Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 27th January 1893, Regr. No. 59.

I have the honour to inform you that, as it is now arranged that my Assistant, Lieutenant L. J. Andrews, accompanies His Highness the Raja of Cochin to Madras, Calcutta and other places, I request the sanction of Government for his travelling expenses, which may be roughly put down as under :—

	RS.
Railway travelling expenses for Assistant Resident	940
" " " two servants	320
" " " two peons	320
Deputation allowance for 60 days at Rs. 10 a day	600
Batta to two peons for 30 days	10
Service telegrams	100
Total ..	2,290

2. There is no provision in my budget to meet this amount, but as the actual charges incurred will have to be recovered from the Durbar, the want of provision does not, I presume, enter into consideration.

Order—dated 22nd February 1893, No. 102, Political.

All extra charges connected with the deputation of the Assistant Resident, including his pay for the period of his absence, will, in accordance with the ruling in paragraph 3 of Foreign Department letter, dated 20th June 1890, No. 2061-I, be borne by the Cochin State.

2. The maximum deputation allowance admissible to Lieutenant Andrews under section 98 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations is one-fifth of his salary, or Rs. 120 per mensem.

3. The batta to peons should be regulated in accordance with paragraph 4 of Foreign Department letter, dated 20th June 1890, No. 2061.

(True Extract.)

C. A. GALTON,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

To the Resident in Cochin.
" " Accountant-General.

Gobt. of {1893} Madras.

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G.O., 22nd February 1893, No. 102.

FEBRUARY.

Assistant Resident in Travancore and Cochin.

Directing that all extra charges connected with the deputation of the — with the Raja of Cochin on tour, including his pay for the period of absence, be borne by the Cochin State.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following:—

Letters from Political officers, and from the Public Works Department.

ORDER—dated 24th February 1893, No. 107, Political.

The Secretary of State will be addressed and a copy of the despatch forwarded to the Government of India.

(True Extract.)

C. A. GALTON,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

ENDORSEMENT—dated 24th February 1893, No. 108, Political.

Copy to the Government of India, Foreign Department.

C. A. GALTON,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

LETTER—to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, dated Fort St. George, 28th February 1893, No. 3, Political.

We have the honour to report, for your Lordship's information, that the following returns for the quarter ending 31st December 1892 are blank:—

(1) Return of officers whose services have been lent to Native States.

(2) Return of officers previously lent to Native States whose salaries have been increased.

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G.O., &c., 24th February 1893,
Nos. 107, 108.

FEBRUARY.

Officers lent to Native States.

Directing that the Secretary of State be addressed in connection with the returns of — for the quarter ending 31st December 1892 and that copy of the despatch be forwarded to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following paper :—

From W. J. CUNINGHAM, Esq., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Fort William, 31st January 1893, No. 399-I.

I am directed to request that when any ruling Chief, or any native gentleman of rank from Madras, travels in India by rail under circumstances involving an official reception on his arrival at any station, a person of proper rank on the visitor's staff may be instructed to alight and meet the officer deputed for the visitor's reception, conduct him to the carriage occupied by the visitor, and introduce him.

2. In order to ensure that the above arrangement may be carried out, intimation ought to be given to the visitor, or to the Political officer in charge, that an official reception will be accorded.

Order—dated 24th February 1893, No. 110, Political.

Communicated to Political officers for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

C. A. GALTON,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

To the Resident in Travancore and Cochin.
„ Political Agent, Pudukóta.
„ „ „ Banganapalle.
„ „ „ Sandúr.
„ Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends.

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G.O., 24th February 1893, No. 110.

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Native Chiefs.

Communicating to Political officers, for information and guidance, letter from the Government of India issuing instructions in connection with official reception of — at railway stations.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper:—

G.O., dated 24th December 1892, No. 765, Political.

ABSTRACT.—Sanctioning the payment of bonuses to certain Tanjore pensioners and referring the cases of certain others to the Surgeon-General for report whether risk is run by the State in commuting their pensions.

READ—also the following paper:—

From Surgeon-Major-General W. F. DEFABECK, M.D., Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 13th February 1893, No. 160.

In returning the manuscript statement received with G.O., No. 765, Political, dated the 24th December 1892, I have the honour to forward, for the information of Government, copy of a further report submitted by the District Surgeon, Tanjore, regarding the state of health of Dadaji Rao and Malloji, and to state that I do not consider that any risk is run by the State in commuting the pension of Dadaji Rao. But the case of Malloji *alias* Hanumanta Rao from the District Surgeon's report is much more doubtful, and I cannot recommend that his pension be commuted. Certainly no Insurance office is likely to accept him.

ENCLOSURE.

From Surgeon-Major H. A. F. NAILER, M.B., District Surgeon, Tanjore, to the Secretary to the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, dated Tanjore, 2nd February 1893, No. 463.

Replying to your No. 317, dated 21st January 1893, forwarding G.O., No. 765, dated 24th December 1892, I have the honour to submit the following statements of the cases therein referred to:—

(1) *Malloji alias Hanumanta Rao.*—Probable age 26; a fairly well-built man with slightly flattened chest; slow of speech; has small central opacity of left cornea; heart's sounds feeble and remote; pulse small, irregular and inclined to be intermittent. I examined him again on 31st January, when he seemed to be under the influence of some narcotic; heart's sounds still feeble and irregular; pulse small, sometimes hardly perceptible, 83 per minute; breathing slow; eyes congested, pupils normal; digestion said to be good. I made enquiry into his habits, but cannot elicit any information as to his taking ganjah or other intoxicating drug; he will only own to smoking tobacco in a hookah. I gave it as my opinion on the first examination "Irregular action of heart likely to shorten life." I think he is addicted to smoking ganjah mixed with his tobacco. Were I examining him for an Assurance Company, I would recommend an extra premium on his policy.

(2) *Dadaji Rao.*—Probable age 17; a slim lad; has a mixed eruption of pityriasis versicolor and leucoderma on face, neck, upper part of back and shoulders. Has a small white patch on inner surface of right thigh. I gave it as my opinion on the first occasion "Not in good health, suffers from leucoderma, which does not necessarily but *may* shorten life." A doubtful case.

But from examination of the rates of commutation given in the above Government Order, I find that they are about 12 years' pensions. In these circumstances I should certainly advise that their pensions be commuted.

Order—dated 28th February 1893, No. 114, Political.

The payment of a bonus of Rs. 733 to Dadaji Rao is sanctioned.

2. Malloji Rao, *alias* Hanumanta Rao, will be allowed to draw a pension of Rs. 10 per mensem.

(True Extract.)

C. A. GALTON,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

To the Government Agent, Tanjore.
" Accountant-General.

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G.O., 28th February 1893, No. 114.

FEBRUARY.

Tanjore Pensioners.

Sanctioning the payment of a bonus of Rs. 733 to Dadaji Rao, and directing that Malloji Rao, *alias* Hanumanta Rao, be allowed to draw a pension of Rs. 10 per mensem.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Letter—to

The Right Honorable the SECRETARY of STATE for INDIA.

My Lord,

In continuation of our despatch, No. 1, Political, of the 10th January last, we have the honour to request that your Lordship will direct the officer selected for the post of Surgeon to the Nayar Brigade, in the Travancore State, to report himself on arrival in India to the Surgeon-General with our Government, as it is intended to attach him for a short time to the General Hospital at Madras before he proceeds to Travancore.

We have the honour to be,
My Lord,
Your Lordship's most obedient, humble servants,

(Signed) WENLOCK.
(„) J. C. DORMER, Lieut.-Genl.
(„) H. E. STOKES.
(„) J. H. GARSTIN.

Fort St. George,
28*th February* 1893.

GOVT. OF FORT ST. GEORGE.

POLITICAL (1893) *DEPARTMENT.*

(Copy.)

Letter to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.

Dated 28th February,

No. 2 of 1893.

Requesting to direct the officer selected for the post of Surgeon to the Nayar Brigade, in the Travancore State, to report himself on arrival in India to the Surgeon-General with the Madras Government.